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IN THE
UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Domanico

CASE: 001441

SER. NO.: 09/844,504

FILING DATE: April 27, 2001

FOR: APPARATUS AND
METHOD FOR FORMING
A BATHTUB LINER

RESPONSE TO NOTICE
TO FILE MISSING PARTS
(filing date granted)

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER
FOR PATENTS
Washington DC 20231

ATTENTION OF:

EXAMINER:

Dear Sir:

If any charges or fees must be paid in connection with the following communication, they may be paid out of our Deposit Account No. 50-0545.

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (filing date granted), mailed June 21, 2001, a copy of which is attached.

The Notice indicated that the executed declaration and the statutory basic filing fee now in the amount of \$355.00 are missing. In response, Applicant herewith submits the fully executed declaration along with a single check in the amount of \$474.00 (\$355.00 + \$54.00 + \$65.00) for the statutory basic filing fee, additional claim fee and surcharge fee. Accordingly, all outstanding missing parts identified in the Notice are submitted herewith, along with the appropriate surcharge fee.

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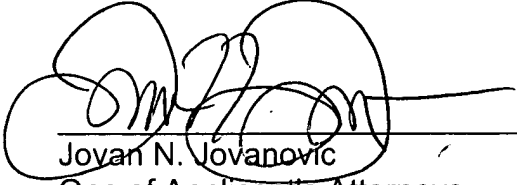
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Should anything further be required, a telephone call to the undersigned at (312) 578-0400 is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: August 20, 2001

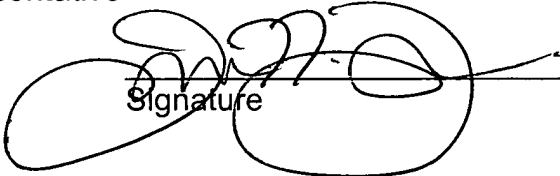

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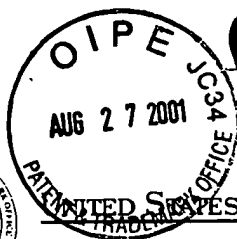
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$108.
 - \$108 for 6 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 948.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - Drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, and copy marks.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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